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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**


Applicant: Charles M. Lieber et al.  
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Examiner: James Vannucci  
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement dated November 14, 2005, Applicants elect Group II, claims 38-91, 108-123 and 129, with traverse. The traversal is made on the grounds that it is believed that a search and examination of all claims would place no undue burden on the Examiner.

If, for any reason, the Examiner is of the opinion that a telephone conversation with the Applicants' representatives would expedite prosecution, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at 617-646-8000.

Dated: January 9, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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